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In the Name of God Amen I Romao Alexander  
bring W<sup>t</sup> of Body am sound & perfect of  
my Remembrance prays to Almighty God  
Dole mark unto my Late wife Elizabeth  
Twenty four day of November in the year of  
Our Lord God 1681

I give & bequeath to my Sonne & to my Sonne  
Edward after the deale of my wife all my Land  
Called Pinch from thence my Plantacion & all  
other Small Tracts belonging to it in the place  
Lying in our County herein being of Land by  
Estimation two hundred & fifty acres to be  
divided equally between them

I send also to my Daughter Mary & Daughter  
Susanna & to my Children no more to whom  
to be divided amongst them four hundred acres  
of Land where is called Taylors Neck & a  
hundred & fifty acres of Land at Puckahar  
Called High Field addition to being divided before

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ad ready bound to age of Sixteen appareo ouly  
Also I make my wife Anna my wchol & sole  
Executor of all my Goods & Chattelos ouly  
after her Goods be praiised to pay to Every one  
of my Children two Cowd appareo & prud to  
be allowed ad v. Goods to appraised

and I give to my firs. Children v. four Haggro  
Every one to hav. out ad ready bound to y<sup>e</sup> age  
of Sixteen appareo see v. four Children to have  
v. four in proportion to eigh Child to b. born  
ad v. in the bound to y<sup>e</sup> age of Sixteen appareo

P.S.

also I give to Every one of my Children a  
Mare or a Hors. to b. delivered vell. in v.  
appare of our Lord God 1685. I give to Wm.  
Callow my Coffing Coach & my Srg. Such

George Alexander (S.

Cullins

Jn<sup>o</sup> & Prud Brick makin

Rob<sup>t</sup> Fowler

And ouerbaud w<sup>t</sup> who reguo w<sup>t</sup> m<sup>t</sup> v<sup>r</sup> 3  
 Memorandum in Cowley io D<sup>r</sup> 2100. & tob. In<sup>t</sup>  
 flandg 700. & tob. In<sup>t</sup> Price 800. & of tob. Harry  
 Owne 500. & of tob. Romao Aldeanor 780. & of tob  
 Oliver Billinge ton 1500. & of tob. Sam<sup>t</sup> Sawle 1400  
 Romao Bourne 6640. & of tob. Frauncis Nale 200  
 & of tob. Romao P. Llyson 500 & 800 pounds of tob  
 G<sup>r</sup>o: Mayew 400. & of tob. M<sup>r</sup> Romao Daungpan  
 1400. & of tob. mor 700. & of tob. P<sup>r</sup>o: d. glo  
 ure all w<sup>t</sup> R<sup>t</sup> of tob weig io to b<sup>t</sup> Struck or  
 paied f<sup>r</sup> G<sup>r</sup>o: to my w<sup>t</sup> Hanna.

And Lower Rego

Garbo f<sup>r</sup> Mar<sup>t</sup> yeare 1682

Geo Day Cam before me In<sup>t</sup> Price & Robert Powles  
 reg two Willm f<sup>r</sup> Subscribers to re<sup>t</sup> ureyn memorand ure  
 & upon i<sup>r</sup> corporall oarey proovd re<sup>t</sup> Same  
 to b<sup>t</sup> re<sup>t</sup> ake & d<sup>r</sup> of Romao Aldeanor of  
 i<sup>r</sup> County abov<sup>t</sup> P<sup>r</sup> Lat<sup>r</sup> d<sup>r</sup> ad<sup>r</sup>

juravimus Coram me

W<sup>m</sup> Lym b<sup>r</sup>

In ye: Name of God our: R<sup>e</sup> fourtene<sup>th</sup> day  
 of November in ye: year of our Lord one --  
 thousand six hundred & eight & on I Francis  
 Wynn of Charles County in ye Province  
 of Maryland gent<sup>r</sup> being full in Body but  
 of good & perfect memory w<sup>t</sup>thout let or hindrance  
 God is calling to him to leave this world  
 Epistles of ye: Transitory life & upon all flesh  
 unto y<sup>e</sup> world where it shall please God  
 to give do make Consent Ordained & approved  
 declare<sup>r</sup> to be my last will & Testament in  
 manner & form following: Revoking & Annulling  
 by ye: present<sup>r</sup> all & every Testam<sup>t</sup> & D<sup>r</sup>ess<sup>t</sup> made before  
 me here to fore by me made declared either by  
 word or writing. And ye: to be taken only for my  
 last will & Testam<sup>t</sup> & none other & first being made  
 & Sorry from ye: bottom of my heart for my former  
 past most humbly d<sup>r</sup>evining forsw<sup>t</sup> for ye: same  
 I give & Committ my Soul unto almighty God my  
 Saviour. By R<sup>e</sup>turn in witness & by ye: hands of  
 I<sup>r</sup>ch<sup>r</sup>ist I Pray & believe assuredly to be

Saue & to haue full Remission & Forgiveness of all my  
Sins & leaue my Soul vnde my Body att the Generall  
Day of Ressurection Ie alle res: again vnde my Body &  
renewe my selfe of Chrystianitie & passion

Ie alle possesse & ieg. ente the Kingdom of heauen prepare  
for his selfe & Phosse my Body to be buried in  
such place wher it shalbe placed my Lxx. therafter  
named to appoynt And now for the settling of my  
Temporall Estate & such good Challes & Debtes  
as I haue plaid almyghty God for above my dñe  
to b. shew vpon me I do: ordre hys dispos: &c.

I am in Manner & Forme following what is to say  
first I will leaue all my Debtes or dutys what I  
ow: in R: or Consuene to any maner of person or  
personde what so ever Ie alle b: w:ll & truly Contented  
& paid vpon Compting time after my deces: by  
my Lxx. herafter named

I am I Do: hys & b: yurale to my Sonne Henry myne  
now living in London vnde Kingdom of England  
vnde on halff parte or moighty of apparel of Land  
Commonly knowne or Called by vng name of

Ang. & Fr. Tr. Land. Clos. &c. &c. on half part  
or moy. i.e. of apparel of Land Commonly known or  
called by re: name of Ang. & Fr. Clos. &c. &c.  
moy. i.e. or half part of apparel of Land commonly  
known & called by re: name of Pinw. Clos.  
Lying & being att Pately in Northampton shire in  
re: Kingdom of England to him & his heirs for  
ever.

I am Ido. Hu. & b. quare re: re: moy. i.e. or half  
part of re: above d. uree Clos. &c. Tr. Land. Clos.  
Ang. & Fr. & Pinw. Clos. unto my Daughter  
Elizabeth Wynn to her & her heire of her body  
Lawfully begotten for ever

And in eas. after my Sonn. Henry Wynn or my Daug.  
Elizabeth Wynn shall happen to dy. b. for re: &  
is full age to enjoy & posse re: uree aforesaid Clos.  
& uree her heire i.e. re: moy. i.e. or half part  
b. longing to either of them: So: dyng uree her heire  
shall b. equally divided between re: Survivor &  
my Sonn. Hen: Wynn to hym & her heire for ever  
but in eas. bothe my Sonn. Henry Wynn & my  
Daughter Elizabeth Wynn shall dye before re:  
com: to full age to enjoy re: Sonn. & uree her

hired, &c. u. I do. giv. & b. quare res. a fords. ipre-  
closse or. Ireland Clo. Ang. & clos. & mu. &  
Clos. unto my Sonn. In. wye. & his heire for  
ever.

I am I do. giv. & b. quare unto my Sonn. In. wye  
all ree parcell of Land lying Salvati & bryg.  
att Portobacco in Charles County aforde comonly  
known or called by ree name of Sympson's D. ligge  
cont. three hundred acre & ree parcell of Land  
more lying att Portobacco aforde ree on called  
Wag. Cont. ~~three~~<sup>two</sup> hundred acre of Land ree  
ree called London Cont. on hundred acre of  
Land & on more called Blacksties Cont. on hundred  
acre of Land & a parcell of Land lying Salvati  
& bryg att Nanyang in Charles County aforde  
comonly known or called by ree name of Glouster  
parce. Contyning two hundred acre of Land &  
a parcell of Land lying Salvati & bryg near  
Piscataway in Charles County aforde comonly  
known or called by ree name of Pultney Cont.  
two hundred acre of Land & also ree  
parcell of Land lying Salvati & bryg att ree  
head of Wicomico Rver in Charles County aforde

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In the 3d day of Burton Court. go Acre<sup>s</sup> &c -  
one Called by his name of Edmund Andrew  
Court. equity. have Acre<sup>s</sup> of Land & one more  
Called by his name of Susquehannah Court.  
equity. have Acre<sup>s</sup> of Land, unto him &  
his heirs for ever<sup>s</sup> out of wey<sup>e</sup> parcel<sup>s</sup> of  
Land afores<sup>d</sup>. I do give & bequeath unto my  
Loving wife Eliz. Wynn on her part of  
him or any of them her having her free  
to take wey<sup>e</sup> of them her like best for  
her her part out of afores<sup>d</sup> parcel<sup>s</sup> of  
Land.

I do give & bequeath unto my Sonn. In<sup>r</sup>.  
Wynn on Negro. Man Called by his name of  
Congir & on Negro. Woman Called by his  
name of Black Mann unto her Incomes. legat<sup>e</sup>  
she shall have if she have any to be  
divided unto my Sonn. In<sup>r</sup>. Wynn above<sup>s</sup>.  
when he shall arriv<sup>e</sup> at his age of twenty  
one years & also I give & bequeath unto  
my Sonn. In<sup>r</sup>. Wynn <sup>on good breeding more</sup> to  
be divided unto him when he shall have money ad  
my d<sup>r</sup>as.

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I am I do: w<sup>t</sup> & b<sup>r</sup>quate all my res<sup>t</sup> & residue of  
 my Estate not herin b<sup>r</sup>ore ment<sup>d</sup> & b<sup>r</sup>quate  
 my Funerall Expenses & such d<sup>b</sup>ble thing necessary  
 payed unto my Loving wife Elizabeth my sonne  
 I beg<sup>d</sup> I do: hereby make & Appoint my said  
 & sole Exec<sup>t</sup> of my Late wife & Postane  
 In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand  
 & Seale v<sup>e</sup>d day & yeare first abov<sup>e</sup> written

Francis Wynn

Signed Sealed published &  
 Declared to be his Late  
 wife & Postane in presence

of this  
mo  
y<sup>e</sup>o: M<sup>r</sup> Grov<sup>d</sup>  
m<sup>r</sup>

Rob<sup>t</sup> R<sup>h</sup> his  
Pri<sup>e</sup>  
m<sup>r</sup>

Gibbons Lomax

And oue back P<sup>d</sup> of v<sup>e</sup> d<sup>r</sup> wife was v<sup>e</sup>o

written  
Mare<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 6<sup>r</sup> 1682

Then came b<sup>r</sup>ore me Rob<sup>t</sup> Henly one of his

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Lord Jephcott produced of his place for Chareed  
 County "go. Grov'd. Robt. Price & Elbowred -  
 Lomare vey s Wm d' P. to vey. Wm. Witten  
 vee & did in common forme prov. of Sanc -  
 by vey. vall. of yr. Francio Wynn. did. did  
 own. vey. Sanc. to b. his act & did & publickly  
 vey. Sanc. in leg. presued of vey. to b. his  
 Laff. wife & R. Farn. And also. I. administered  
 vey. vall. of an her. to vey. Wm. Witten named  
 Eliz. Wynn. Laff. of yr. Laff. wife & R. Farn.  
 & administered also vey. vall. of App. unto  
 M<sup>o</sup> Thomas Chiffain & M<sup>o</sup> In<sup>o</sup> Fanning.  
 vey. two App. for vey. apprais. of vey. P.  
 goods & Chareed of yr. Francio Wynn by  
 virtue of a common from vey. hon. vey.  
 Chanc. Chif. Judge. In. R. Farn. I. Causd -  
 e for probat of vrey. & granting ad. cono -  
 Caring day of 21<sup>st</sup> day January 1682

Jurat. Farn. me. Sworn. & Amo

Robert Hinley

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Maryland Esq;

Fe: 29<sup>th</sup> Day of Septemb<sup>r</sup> in the year 1681 -  
 In the name of God Amen. I Jno: Nick of the  
 County of Kent in the Province of Maryland -  
 Cordwainer being very sick & weak of Body  
 but having my perfec<sup>t</sup> trust & remembrance  
 I make and my Last Will & Testament provoking  
 making void all other wills formerly made  
 I make my Last Will & Testament I make in  
 manner & form following viz

I'm first I give & committ my body to the  
 Ground to be buried after Christian manner  
 at the discretion of my executors hereafter mentioned  
 And my soul unto Jesus Christ hoping &  
 formerly living that his merciful grace  
 & passion have purgated灵魂 Salvation -  
 for me same & as for my worldly goods  
 I give & dispos<sup>t</sup> off as following

I'm I do ordaine & appoint my wife  
 B: Mrs: Anne Mary Park of the County aforesd

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To be my wbole & sole Exe<sup>r</sup>. of vnto my Lasse  
Will & P. Stam & I do appoint mayor Iauard  
Ringold & Wm Batman to b<sup>e</sup> O. S. S. to see  
vnto my Lasse will & P. Stam p. r. formed

I am I. Gw. & require all my wbole feates  
song Raile & personall att my d. r. a. s. unto my  
P. Exe<sup>r</sup> unto her hand & assignd for her  
my d. b. o. & Lyand forst being paid  
It my ure to repaire my distre soune do com  
unto vnto Country in Order to my Covenants ure  
M. Walter lefe, let my P. Exe<sup>r</sup> do d. pray  
& pay vnto Chancery of his Country unto vnto  
Country I. Gw. him vnto b. u. r. half of my  
Warre glorie & also pay for his passag  
& send him home again by vnto same shipp  
& to vnto land Tidur & mairing herof I h.  
do. S. in my hand & have vnto day e<sup>st</sup> p. a. r.  
abov: written.

In: Nick (Ruel)

Signed, sealed & d. lured in vnto

present of vnto me written

John F. vi. Field

Elizabeth F. Field

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Re- Weyn will was provod by re- weyn  
 named Wittiford In: Pratfield & his wife  
 bring ffrg Sworn on re- hly. Swang. lego ad  
 Willdss my hand 1602 10<sup>th</sup> day of Jan. 1602

Sam. Pooy

In re- Name o f God. Amen

Fe: 24<sup>th</sup> of November 1600 I Henry Lamberton  
 of Talbot County in re- Province of Maryland —  
 bring vry sick & weak in Body but off found —  
 & perfect Memory God b- praised & knowing re-  
 uncertainty of vro life on Earth & bring d- to vno  
 to free soule in Our Lord mch. end my lase  
 will & P-ace in manner & forme folo. regd to do  
 say ffor & principally I committ my soule to ..  
 Almighty god my Great & affecktly b- living here  
 I haue giv: full pardon & remissons of all my —  
 sinnes & b- lawd by re- pretious dralls curred  
 of my blesse: favo. & D-:mr Christ J-:so: and  
 my Body to re- Earth to b- buried in ffre dress —  
 manner as my deare wife shall think fit & convenient  
 and as touching such worldly goodes re- Lord in  
 his mercy haue L-nd me my uree & weaning to day

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and have be employed & b. grow'd ad hinc after  
by my will to be proper and safe I do  
reqd. all former exec. by me made & do  
declare & appoin't my Last will & Testament  
Item I make my dear wife Katharine Lamberton to  
b. my sole Exec. of my Last will &  
Testament & do. leave & bequeath my whole Estate  
body real & personall unto her to do. by my  
children ad the same see convenient  
safely I do. appoin't Mr. Luno Blancker to be  
overseer of my will & to b. assistance to my  
wife in her whole busyness. And so my hand  
is set  
Hendred Lamberton Esq.  
Witnes. In: Justice

Jn: offley

In the name of God amen. I James Lam of  
Anne Arundel County in the Province of Maryland  
being sick & weak in body but of perfect mine  
& memory praysd be God Do: make & ordaine  
my Last will & Testament in manner & form  
following and In witness I bequeath my soul to God

that have in my Body w<sup>e</sup>re- carey from whence  
it came & ad for my worldly goods dispos- of  
re<sup>m</sup> ad following I my self have & b. quale to  
my Daughter Grace Burridge our Cow & our  
young man w<sup>e</sup>re her husband. Item my tree &  
mine is that my personall estate b. divid<sup>d</sup> into re<sup>m</sup>  
Equall partes & disposed off ad following our three  
parts w<sup>e</sup>re I give & b. quale to my Loving wife  
Margarett Lane & our three parts re<sup>r</sup>ceas of I my  
& b. quale to my Daughter Sarah Lane att her age  
of 14 apres or w<sup>e</sup>re day of her marriage we<sup>e</sup>e  
full firs<sup>t</sup> happen & le<sup>r</sup> one r<sup>e</sup> part I my &  
b. quale to b. Equally divid<sup>d</sup> b. tw<sup>e</sup>n my two sonnes  
of me & Dutton ad le<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> shall I verally allaine  
to y<sup>e</sup> age of eighte apres Item I my & unto my  
sonne sonnes lan my plantation Called by re<sup>r</sup>  
name of Browfby hall & ffor hundred acre<sup>s</sup>  
of land b. longing to w<sup>e</sup>re land to hav<sup>e</sup> & to  
hole y<sup>e</sup> plantation & land to him his heire  
assigned for hir Item I my sonne Dutton  
his heire & assigned for hir vire hundred acre<sup>s</sup>  
of land being part of w<sup>e</sup>re afores<sup>d</sup> land Called  
Browfby Hall Item I my & b. quale to my sonne

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Sutton two hundred & a syng for ever my par-  
 of regd. now my dwl.ing Plantacion weue I  
 bought of Francio Huting & if it shall happen  
 wch Sarah Sam. or Sutton Law lodges before  
 regd. Com. to enjoy regd. Estate after b. quarell  
 my brether wch no or other paruo so d. r. v. n g.  
 place goes to regd. Survivor or Survivors and if regd.  
 all happen lodges without issue or before regd.  
 Com. to enjoy regd. Estate as afores. wch I give  
 wch Sam. to my neigbor George Law in leg.  
 Kingdom of Ireland I m. do. nominati & appoin.  
 My Loving wife Margaret Law to be sole ad.  
 of regd my Lg. wife & P. frant & my w. b. love  
 foun. in Law Name and Smit & Francio Huting  
 to b. supervisor of regd Sam. In willds.  
 wch I have hereunto sett my hand & bale  
 regd 18<sup>th</sup> day of Jan<sup>r</sup> a<sup>r</sup> D<sup>r</sup> 1602

signed bale published & bale  
 declare to b. regd Lg. wife & P. frant &  
 wch P. frant in recipine of

Argent Brown  
 his son X Davo  
 m<sup>r</sup>

Jn<sup>r</sup> Hall Geo: M<sup>r</sup> dale

In vs Name of God Amen I Jno Freigley  
 of Anne Arundel County in the Province of Maryland  
 Cooper living late & dead in Body but still present  
 Mind & Memory pased by God & falling to mind  
 vs. uncertainty of vs. Treasury life & age  
 Certainty of death we must all pass. God to  
 call us makes & command vs. my last will &  
 Regiment vs. making & commanding all former  
 & other wills & Testaments heretofore by me mad  
 either by Word or Writing Inj. I b. equally my soul  
 to God real gain is assuredly believing in & by  
 vs. Mind of his only Son Christ J. and reward  
 free pardon & Reission of all my sin & my  
 Body I commit to vs. care from whence it came  
 to b. surely buried according to discretion of  
 my bre. hereafter named due to for least wordly  
 goods real it have pleased god Almighty God to  
 b. show upon me far above my d. r. no J. G.  
 b. equally vs. same in manner & form following  
 vs. Inj. I. G. & b. equally unto my two bro. &  
 Neig. neigley & Oig. neigley of vs.  
 Kingdom of England County & Province of Eng

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hired of us or keeper of your wylm fr. yarde  
which after my d.w.s. shall come to th. dwll & take  
possession of y. same all wh. my now dwlling plantation  
situate in Herring Creek. my abov. County being  
part of a parcell of Land called Broad Hargley  
cont. two hundred acres of Land wh. all &  
singular w. dwlling house. no house pempt.  
& appertaining to y. same b. longwy or in any  
wys. appertaining thereto mind & care to yah  
my b. d. h. wh. named wh. large opportunity  
after my d.w.s. shall find a copy of y. co. my  
will unto my two brok. ro. Nalegrave & Ogleville  
Hargley aforementioned & Livers. wh. all opportunity  
wh. aforesaid having of fr. yarde  
after my d.w.s. shall find unto y. m. concerning  
my b. wylm unto y. m. thereto mind & care to  
y. m. in cas. my two brok. ro. Nalegrave & Ogleville  
nor wh. of y. co. shall com. dwll &  
take pos. sion of my afores. plantation wh. in  
fr. yarde after my d.w.s. ad afor express'd  
y. m. I giv. & b. wylm y. same unto y. m. dwll  
fower of my sigr. D. bora Innes & no heire.

And for want of such hired to lay under him be gotten  
on to be be gotten on the body of his w<sup>t</sup> D<sup>r</sup>. Boras —  
Item I Gw<sup>t</sup> & b<sup>r</sup>quale unto h<sup>r</sup>o. Supper of Mary<sup>t</sup>  
my Gray Mar<sup>t</sup> wife her Success<sup>r</sup> Item my wife  
C<sup>r</sup> Manning io let my personall Estate b<sup>r</sup> brought  
to a Lawfull appraiser & b<sup>r</sup> disposed off by  
my Exe<sup>r</sup> Es<sup>r</sup> hereafter named for the paym<sup>t</sup> of my  
a<sup>d</sup> bid us<sup>r</sup> probat of his my wife my funerall  
Expenses & other necessary Charg<sup>r</sup> & of his b<sup>r</sup> any  
Overplus I Gw<sup>t</sup> & b<sup>r</sup>quale us<sup>r</sup> same to my two  
Brother<sup>r</sup> Nallemane & Stev<sup>r</sup> C<sup>r</sup>fugly Tonell<sup>r</sup> &  
S<sup>r</sup>valley or either of them if they or their off<sup>r</sup>ers  
see all come to their dwelle & take possession of  
my a formerid Plantacion where b<sup>r</sup> apared after  
my d<sup>r</sup>ast as aforesaid bepested And if not Gw<sup>t</sup>  
& b<sup>r</sup>quale us<sup>r</sup> same unto y<sup>r</sup> Red<sup>r</sup> S<sup>r</sup>ome of my  
sister D<sup>r</sup>. Boras Supper a formerid Item I Do<sup>r</sup>  
Nominate & appoint my Trusty & well b<sup>r</sup>oved Fr<sup>r</sup>  
m<sup>r</sup> Nallemane Justice C<sup>r</sup>m<sup>r</sup> In<sup>r</sup> Goller<sup>r</sup> of  
Maryland to b<sup>r</sup> reg<sup>r</sup> Exe<sup>r</sup> of his my Late wife  
& T. Gram<sup>r</sup> In witness we<sup>r</sup>of Gw<sup>t</sup> b<sup>r</sup>quale

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In my hand & hab<sup>d</sup> v<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> Egerton day of Feb<sup>r</sup> -  
anno Dom<sup>i</sup> 1602

In: Gerugley Lue

Sign<sup>d</sup> h<sup>d</sup> publis<sup>d</sup> Edward  
to b<sup>r</sup> v<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> Large tree & P. Grant.  
of v<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> P. Hall. In v<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> tree of  
Gregor Brown  
Am<sup>m</sup> P. Powle

Jn<sup>d</sup> Gualw<sup>ll</sup>

Reouad M. Meridat

On the back side of y<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> tree was v<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> written  
Memorandum etc upon v<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> E<sup>d</sup>ay of aprill  
A<sup>d</sup> 1602 v<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> of v<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> Witten<sup>d</sup> to v<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> Wren<sup>d</sup>  
tree can<sup>d</sup> b<sup>r</sup> for me & mad<sup>d</sup> oale y<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup>  
P. Hall. Wren<sup>d</sup> M. Meridat. In sign<sup>d</sup> h<sup>d</sup> publice &  
d<sup>r</sup>clare v<sup>e</sup>o<sup>r</sup> Wren<sup>d</sup> tree to b<sup>r</sup> his Large tree  
& P. Grant. As w<sup>e</sup>re Powle, Jn<sup>d</sup> Gualw<sup>ll</sup>, &  
Reouad Meridat In P. Grant<sup>d</sup> w<sup>e</sup>rof Jhon.  
Subscr<sup>d</sup> my name

Jn<sup>d</sup> W. Egger

Maryland S.

In re<sup>d</sup> name of God amen. I Robt. Lupton of Talbot  
County being w<sup>t</sup> & full of Body but of sound &  
perfect memory pres<sup>t</sup>. b<sup>r</sup> to God do<sup>r</sup> d<sup>r</sup> & Appoint  
unto my Late wife & P<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>r</sup> letting apart all other  
w<sup>t</sup> w<sup>t</sup> formerly by me mad.

I do<sup>r</sup> h<sup>r</sup> & b<sup>r</sup>quare my Soul to God w<sup>t</sup>  
Giv<sup>r</sup> to me in hope of a happy Resurrection unto my  
Blessed Savio<sup>r</sup> & my most<sup>r</sup> Body to y<sup>r</sup> m<sup>r</sup> care  
to b<sup>r</sup> d<sup>r</sup>ily buried in y<sup>r</sup> discretion of my Ex<sup>r</sup>w<sup>r</sup>ne  
I seall h<sup>r</sup> after Nominate & Appoint

2d<sup>r</sup> I do<sup>r</sup> h<sup>r</sup> & b<sup>r</sup>quare to my Grandchild Robt.  
Cholm<sup>r</sup> Son<sup>r</sup> to Lurio Cholm<sup>r</sup> fifty acres of Land  
Called by re<sup>d</sup> name of Poplar Neck also I do<sup>r</sup>  
Giv<sup>r</sup> y<sup>r</sup> Robt. two Cow<sup>r</sup> & Calv<sup>r</sup> & one Mare  
Filly now about 4 mon<sup>r</sup> old. Item I giv<sup>r</sup> unto y<sup>r</sup>  
y<sup>r</sup> Robt. one half Fallow & half Stock<sup>r</sup> w<sup>t</sup>  
3d<sup>r</sup> oulter Rug & Blan<sup>r</sup> also I do<sup>r</sup> giv<sup>r</sup>  
unto y<sup>r</sup> Robt. one Louij Musket; also one Iron  
pott, re<sup>d</sup> m<sup>r</sup> to b<sup>r</sup> d<sup>r</sup> Lurio unto him y<sup>r</sup> Robt.  
w<sup>t</sup> he com<sup>r</sup> to y<sup>r</sup> age of Sixten ap<sup>r</sup> & y<sup>r</sup>  
Incas<sup>r</sup> of re<sup>d</sup> Cow<sup>r</sup> & Filly to b<sup>r</sup> for his<sup>r</sup>

I b. m. f. r. I do freely giv. & b. quare to  
him & his hird for his bus to remain in his  
hand of my loving wife Elizabeth Quapp till he  
com. w. y<sup>e</sup> age of sixteen & up to b. d. b. v. d.  
to him or his hird.

3. dy I do giv. & b. quare to my Grand Child Mary  
Cloeyr Daughter to L.rio Cloeyr two thousand  
pounds of tis. weue y<sup>e</sup> L.rio Cloeyr is  
justly entituled to me & y<sup>e</sup> P. Rob w. b. laid in  
com. for yrs. of y<sup>e</sup> Mary & s<sup>e</sup>. y<sup>e</sup> Mary  
is having hale weue y<sup>e</sup> Invas. & to b.  
d. b. v. d. to her y<sup>e</sup> Mary upon y<sup>e</sup> day of her  
marriage b. y<sup>e</sup> I do freely giv. & b. quare to  
her & her hird for her bus is. y<sup>e</sup> P. Cane to  
remain in y<sup>e</sup> hand of my loving wife till y<sup>e</sup>  
bus a bov. mentioned

4. dy I do giv. to an Orpcaus Child Called  
Elizabeth Cadmore on Cow & Calfe to be  
d. b. v. d. to y<sup>e</sup> Elizabeth Cadmore weue from  
com. to b. att y<sup>e</sup> age of twenty one yeare  
weue y<sup>e</sup> Invas. from y<sup>e</sup> hour of my d. b. v.  
of y<sup>e</sup> Cow bus to remain my hand of

My Loving wife will go. Come to aye—

My I do. Give to my Loving Friend Margaret Turbutt  
Loving Six Pounds of Cawao weue M<sup>d</sup> Augst Mail  
to Tully Ind. 8th to m.

Cly & Lally I do. Give & b.quare to my dear &  
wife b.love all y<sup>e</sup> R. of my Great-male & sonall  
w<sup>e</sup>n all my d. to pain. Only my plantation of gw.  
vnu for her during her life & after her d. all I  
do. Give to my Grand Child Rob<sup>t</sup> Cleary & to  
her heirs for her. And do also leave her my hol-  
dix<sup>s</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> w<sup>e</sup> my Lally tree & S. Grant ad wills  
my hand & seal y<sup>e</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> day of Augst a.  
Dy 1602

*Robin M Knapp*  
m<sup>h</sup> *S. C.*

Signed Sealed & Dated  
in presence of me

Margaret Turbutt

Jn<sup>t</sup> Swaine

Our copy back Ind. was y<sup>e</sup> written

Jn<sup>t</sup> Swaine Cam<sup>t</sup> b. for me y<sup>e</sup> w<sup>e</sup> day bring y<sup>e</sup> 22<sup>nd</sup>  
of y<sup>e</sup> instant Aprill anno q<sup>t</sup> D<sup>r</sup> 1602 & made  
out legal in Law y<sup>e</sup> before Mr. Wm. Willson will signed sealed  
& delivered by Rob<sup>t</sup> Knapp of y<sup>e</sup> County  
Jurat Coram me James Murphy

M<sup>r</sup> Michael Purcell mad- oare b. fore me yester day  
 bring y<sup>e</sup> rig<sup>t</sup> & of y<sup>e</sup> ro<sup>t</sup> Inglands apiece anno<sup>r</sup> Domini  
 1682 i<sup>e</sup> ar h<sup>t</sup> Law. Rob<sup>t</sup> Knapp signe L. alene  
 d. h. r. yester anniversarie b. for his d. das.

Jurat Coram m-

James Murphy

In y<sup>e</sup> name of y<sup>e</sup> - Light i<sup>e</sup> ar diligencie every man  
 i<sup>e</sup> ar come into y<sup>e</sup> world i<sup>e</sup> ar was my condicun-  
 But now my ~~De~~ Deare Savio. So. b. itt. I. Georg.  
 Johnson of Southw<sup>k</sup> County in y<sup>e</sup> Province of Maryland  
 bring such in Body but o<sup>f</sup> good p. f. f. memory -  
 i<sup>e</sup> ar to b<sup>t</sup> to almighty God & calling to remembrance  
 y<sup>e</sup> certane year of yester Transitory life & eves  
 all these must ap<sup>e</sup> to unto drate i<sup>e</sup> ar seale y<sup>e</sup> baa-  
 God to call Do- make ~~the~~ Ordaine & declare  
 yester my Last will & Testament in manner & forme  
 following Reciting & drawing by y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>t</sup> p. r. n.  
 all & every T. stant<sup>t</sup> & T. stant<sup>t</sup> will & Willeo -  
 heretofore by me mad- & declared either by word -  
 or writing & ~~the~~ so to be taken for my Last -  
 will & Testament & non other. And first I giv-  
 & b<sup>r</sup>quale to my w<sup>e</sup> belov<sup>d</sup> wife Catharine -

To my son a parcell of Land wherein I now live —  
 Called strange to wife all i.e. Oregon Garden —  
 pasture Reddingo wife all i.e. appertaining thereto  
 belonging during her naturall life wife all y<sup>e</sup> flock  
 hoggs & Catt i.e. number of Cattle to b.  
 Reserved att i.e. day of her death to my Exr. or  
 Exr. hereafter mentioned. I give to my P<sup>r</sup> B<sup>r</sup>. loved  
 wife further a parcell of Land called Fogoston  
 containing 300 Acre also a parcell of Land  
 Called discovry q<sup>t</sup> 200 Acre i.e. lying & being  
 att i.e. head of i.e. aforementioned Land Called y<sup>e</sup> straugh  
 also a parcell of Land Called London gift q<sup>t</sup>  
 to Lord, on oþer parcell of Land called London,  
 Adm. q<sup>t</sup> 50 Acre i.e. two parcells of Land —  
 viz. one called Poplar Regt q<sup>t</sup> 200 Acre on  
 oþer called Tonge adventure q<sup>t</sup> 500 Acre. Item  
 I give & bequeath to my wife beloved wife Katherin  
 Fogoston i.e. Negro boy. Called white during her  
 naturall life & after her death to b. free —  
 Item I give & bequeath unto i.e. widd. Minshall  
 during my wif. naturall life 400. of which  
 yearly provided sh. Remained a widow. Item

I Gw: & Biquare <sup>is</sup> on quarter part of his slop  
called <sup>is</sup> In: & Katherine to my well belov'd  
wife Katherine Johnson to see after my dres.  
My produce <sup>is</sup> to be given unto such poor  
people as ye poor <sup>is</sup> in this land her after heale  
is much fitter. I Gw: is Biquare <sup>is</sup> on moy li-  
of a house: Lying & bring my Clys. of Canterbury  
in y<sup>e</sup> County of Kent in England unto y<sup>e</sup> ded. of  
Child of my brother In: Johnson living in  
Woburn in New England. Item I Gw: & Biquare  
unto y<sup>e</sup> ded. Child of my Sister Susan Johnson  
that shall be living at age <sup>is</sup> two of y<sup>e</sup> god my  
Lass wife of P. Stant. is performed four pounds  
L. f. m. by my dear & loving daug<sup>r</sup> & a bille  
of 16<sup>th</sup> mony ffrd. due from my brother Edward  
Johnson in New England & to him & thise his  
for her. Item I Gw: & Biquare to my brother  
John Johnson in New England two d. f. m. Child  
that shall be living at age <sup>is</sup> two of my dres.  
one hous. - Lying & bring in Canterbury  
Kent County old England in a parage called

Alfdg. over ag<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Bifcōpo<sup>d</sup> pallace wher was  
 Lef<sup>r</sup> w<sup>m</sup> by my fayr. Edward Johnson after  
 my d<sup>r</sup>as<sup>t</sup> of my Grand fayr. Wm Johnson  
 I m<sup>t</sup> I<sup>t</sup> h<sup>w</sup> & b<sup>r</sup>quare unto my Daug<sup>t</sup>r. K<sup>r</sup>g<sup>r</sup>m.  
 Ed<sup>r</sup> Child<sup>t</sup> is wife of In<sup>t</sup> Godding is on  
 half of y<sup>e</sup> moov<sup>a</sup>b<sup>le</sup> & Cales han Jam  
 now poss<sup>o</sup> so<sup>t</sup> wife after my wife d<sup>r</sup>as<sup>t</sup> &  
 for want of Issu Lawfullly b<sup>r</sup>oken on y<sup>e</sup>  
 Body of y<sup>e</sup> K<sup>r</sup>g<sup>r</sup>m<sup>t</sup> to y<sup>e</sup> second Child of  
 my brother In<sup>t</sup> Johnson I m<sup>t</sup> I<sup>t</sup> h<sup>w</sup> &  
 b<sup>r</sup>quare unto y<sup>e</sup> Ed<sup>r</sup> Child of my Sonne  
 J<sup>r</sup>. Johnson Lawfullly b<sup>r</sup>oken is on moyt<sup>t</sup>  
 or half of y<sup>e</sup> good<sup>t</sup> Land & appartenances  
 is runn<sup>t</sup> b<sup>r</sup>ong<sup>t</sup> a form<sup>t</sup>me<sup>t</sup> & for want of  
 Suc<sup>t</sup> Issu I do<sup>t</sup> by y<sup>e</sup> my Late ure & P<sup>r</sup>ant.  
 I<sup>t</sup> w<sup>m</sup> unto ag<sup>t</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> Child of my brother formerly  
 Called Susanna Princ<sup>t</sup> alias Johnson ag<sup>t</sup>  
 Moyt<sup>t</sup> afford<sup>t</sup> to b<sup>r</sup> understand<sup>t</sup> after my wife  
 K<sup>r</sup>g<sup>r</sup>m Johnson d<sup>r</sup>as<sup>t</sup> notwile<sup>t</sup> standing w<sup>m</sup>  
 to abov<sup>t</sup> min<sup>t</sup>nd<sup>t</sup> I<sup>t</sup> h<sup>w</sup> & b<sup>r</sup>quare unto ag<sup>t</sup>  
 Child of Susan Prince alias Johnson all y<sup>e</sup>

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Moyly- or on half of y<sup>e</sup> above mentioned Groun  
to my Sonne Georg<sup>e</sup> & my wife to me in y<sup>e</sup> rood my  
Last will & Testament. That my well belov<sup>d</sup> wife  
Katherine Johnson is my w<sup>e</sup> & sole Exeribitor  
y<sup>e</sup> do<sup>t</sup> by y<sup>e</sup> p<sup>r</sup>nted Consult<sup>t</sup> ordain<sup>t</sup> & appoin<sup>t</sup>  
& by y<sup>e</sup> p<sup>r</sup>nted b<sup>t</sup> it ordain<sup>t</sup> Consult<sup>t</sup> &  
Appoint<sup>t</sup> ad my Last will & Testament y<sup>e</sup> persons  
following Roger Woolford Living D<sup>r</sup> in wood, Wm  
B.ry, & Thomas Taylor all Inhabitants in y<sup>e</sup>  
Province of Maryland to my Lawfull Exec<sup>t</sup> ad.  
or Ov<sup>r</sup>ers<sup>r</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> my Last will & Testament &  
yeare y<sup>e</sup> p<sup>r</sup>sonal ad y<sup>e</sup> Land related to disposi<sup>t</sup>  
of ff<sup>t</sup> ff<sup>t</sup> in trust all y<sup>e</sup> Land houses  
Barres<sup>r</sup> Pastures f<sup>f</sup>dinges w<sup>ch</sup> other Appartnaunces  
ff<sup>t</sup> all att y<sup>e</sup> time b<sup>t</sup> long ante y<sup>e</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> of m<sup>r</sup>  
y<sup>e</sup> S<sup>r</sup> G<sup>r</sup> Johnson in y<sup>e</sup> will b<sup>t</sup> for disposi<sup>t</sup>  
after her deces<sup>s</sup> provided that my w<sup>e</sup> b<sup>t</sup> lov<sup>d</sup>  
ere Katherine Johnson doth in y<sup>e</sup> time of her  
life disposi<sup>t</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> parcell of Land called  
Poplar R<sup>y</sup>dg<sup>t</sup> q<sup>t</sup> 200 arod & there be  
Advantur q<sup>t</sup> 500 arod, of Londons aduantage.

Contynung 50 arod & a pice of Land called  
Discovery of 200 arod & yeare yed Rob. Minge  
ndred or Mouys. &c. shall hav. Library to make  
ur. of Sir. Long ad Sir. Lure & after his  
dreas. to b. att y. despos. of y. ffe ffe in  
vnu a forminond & yea yed her. or ffe  
ffed a forminond in vnu. of yeo my. lass  
will & testam. doyng despos. of vnu wch. I  
g. all h. r. a. fr. my con. wch. w ad following—  
I my. I g. & b. quare unto Rog.r Wulfor.  
Lwng. Dnwood. Wm. Bry. & Regnac Taylor.

30. p. place p. son to b. paid by my Ex. but if  
any. I shoule d. das. y. mortal world b. for  
my wifd d. partur. that y. n. b. to return to  
y. her. or to sue ad shall b. Lwng att y.  
day of y. daie of my p. wife Catherin Johnson  
but in cas. y. an any o. y. a forminond —  
Ex. do. d. part. y. natural life before  
my loving wife a forminond 13. y. it shall  
b. lawfull & good for any o. y. in or —  
y. half year m.ing held att Chystank. or

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Esq: Wm: • long agone w: a m: hng wher  
 people gathered tog: reg: to see: y: Lord in  
 spirit & in truce to put any in Chr: Room  
 always provided thereto Large Glass b-  
 employed for i: childern of y:-  
 above named for a pair of Silver plate mark'd  
 G. J. Gean w: to my Large will & P: Grant  
 witness my hand & Seal 1602 23: day of  
 November annoqf Dom: 1602.

I am I: Gean & b:quare to y: young: Child  
 of G: Wilson apparell of Land called  
 London gift but in eas: my wife should  
 dispos: of it b:for her deas: ag: in y:  
 Govt: goods or Merchandise sold for seale  
 return unto y: Child or his heire. I am  
 I: Gean & b:quare to paye Caddy Lymoun  
 money stard after y: deas: of my Loving  
 wife. I am I: Gean & b:quare unto my friend  
 Stephen Cuspe fourty shill. in mony sterleng  
 I am I: Gean & b:quare unto my friend Henry  
 Jackson fourty £. in mony shill. after my wife

D. was. I am I giv. & b. quare to w<sup>m</sup> Dr. Bowes  
 after y<sup>e</sup> d<sup>r</sup>as. of my wife fairly shd. mony -  
 stard I am I giv. unto y<sup>e</sup> a young. s<sup>n</sup> child of  
 g<sup>r</sup>. Johnson of Muddy Creek in Acmonad -  
 if it b. living att my wife d<sup>r</sup>as. That is in  
 my exec<sup>o</sup> a former in cond<sup>o</sup> shall purcas<sup>e</sup> on  
 mat<sup>r</sup> h. t. for y<sup>e</sup> child. we m<sup>o</sup> ad it w<sup>t</sup> abov.  
 in mind reg<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> on my self or y<sup>e</sup> on half of  
 y<sup>e</sup> Land<sup>r</sup> good<sup>r</sup> & chattel<sup>r</sup> of m<sup>r</sup> y<sup>r</sup> g<sup>r</sup>.  
 Johnson do<sup>r</sup> go<sup>r</sup> unto y<sup>e</sup> led. s<sup>n</sup> child of my  
 sonn George I her by<sup>r</sup> to my large tree &  
 Postam<sup>r</sup> do<sup>r</sup> giv. & b. quare unto Roger Wolve<sup>r</sup>  
 living D<sup>r</sup>newood W<sup>m</sup> Berry Remond Paylor &  
 other mony<sup>r</sup> for y<sup>e</sup> m<sup>r</sup> on sue<sup>r</sup> of him eas<sup>r</sup> Reg<sup>r</sup>  
 b. living att y<sup>e</sup> d<sup>r</sup>partur o<sup>r</sup> my w<sup>r</sup> f<sup>r</sup> ego -  
 naturall life or unto sue<sup>r</sup> ad shall b. chosn  
 by y<sup>e</sup> m<sup>r</sup> living abov<sup>r</sup> exprefed for y<sup>e</sup> m<sup>r</sup> to giv.  
 sue<sup>r</sup> L. y<sup>e</sup> ays<sup>r</sup> ad in y<sup>e</sup> d<sup>r</sup>tree w<sup>t</sup> exprefed -  
 & for y<sup>e</sup> Remond to b. giv. n<sup>t</sup> sue<sup>r</sup> p<sup>r</sup> -  
 Prundo ad y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>n</sup> Roger Wolve<sup>r</sup> living D<sup>r</sup>newood

Wm. Berry & Geomao Taylor or suez ad ffare  
 b. Chosen att y<sup>e</sup> d. parlor of my w<sup>e</sup>ll belov<sup>d</sup> wife  
 Kalgard Johnson by y<sup>e</sup> witness aforesaid e  
 Lately if any person we alfor<sup>r</sup> shall make any  
 of y<sup>e</sup> legat<sup>r</sup> to whom in my will I hav<sup>e</sup>  
 bequeathed any thing unto or like to d. prov<sup>r</sup> by  
 law y<sup>e</sup> legat<sup>r</sup> may be b. longing unto him  
 i.e. disturbed shall b. converted to y<sup>e</sup> person so  
 disturbed.

Be it also w<sup>e</sup> y<sup>e</sup> legatee & t<sup>r</sup>ant<sup>r</sup> of Geo.  
 Johnson held by him w<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> witness above  
 named Subscrib<sup>r</sup> do. P. P. F.

Re<sup>d</sup> bld<sup>r</sup> & d. lured ad y<sup>e</sup> absolute will of P. P. F.  
 of Geo. Johnson y<sup>e</sup> 23<sup>r</sup> day of November Anoqf.  
 Day 1800 before us

In<sup>r</sup>. Hale

Geomao Price

Geo. B. Cummings

In y<sup>e</sup> back Pd<sup>r</sup> was y<sup>e</sup> will written viz.

Comt. H. R. County S.

Agreed w<sup>t</sup> hon. Sec<sup>r</sup> t<sup>h</sup> help Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Judge  
or Com<sup>r</sup> J<sup>r</sup> Gr<sup>r</sup>ace for probat. of will & Granting  
and recd<sup>r</sup> Rec<sup>r</sup> m<sup>r</sup> Wm Fow<sup>r</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> County of  
London by his Warr<sup>t</sup> bearing dat<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> E<sup>r</sup>  
of Septem<sup>r</sup> Last p<sup>r</sup>g<sup>r</sup> w<sup>t</sup> all b. for m<sup>r</sup> In<sup>r</sup>  
Hans Thomas Prie & Edmund Brancamp  
witness<sup>r</sup> Subscribed to y<sup>e</sup> Last eere & S<sup>r</sup> Nam<sup>r</sup>  
of G<sup>r</sup> Johnson L<sup>r</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> S<sup>r</sup> County d<sup>r</sup>  
& recd<sup>r</sup> by y<sup>e</sup> m<sup>r</sup> oare<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> same to b. prov<sup>r</sup>  
y<sup>e</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> ac<sup>r</sup> report<sup>r</sup> to C<sup>r</sup> Ch<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> day<sup>r</sup>  
w<sup>t</sup> w<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> in y<sup>e</sup> 1682<sup>r</sup>  
y<sup>e</sup> r<sup>r</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> Dominion of y<sup>e</sup> R<sup>r</sup> hon<sup>r</sup>  
Charles Lou Baron of Baltimore Amo<sup>r</sup> B<sup>r</sup>  
Duy<sup>r</sup> 1682<sup>r</sup> In<sup>r</sup> Hans & Edmund Brancamp  
made oare on y<sup>e</sup> holy Evang<sup>r</sup> h<sup>r</sup> b. for m<sup>r</sup>  
y<sup>e</sup> S<sup>r</sup> Wm Fow<sup>r</sup> recd<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> d<sup>r</sup> S<sup>r</sup> G<sup>r</sup> Johnson  
Sign<sup>r</sup> Seal & Deliver y<sup>e</sup> W<sup>r</sup> in m<sup>r</sup> con<sup>r</sup> —  
writing as his Last will & Testament in  
Manner & form as is y<sup>e</sup> m<sup>r</sup> expressed and —

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purpos att y<sup>e</sup> Sam<sup>t</sup> lini G<sup>r</sup>omas Price Cam-  
b. for me & Di<sup>r</sup> Drury (but not upon oare) -  
that he w<sup>e</sup>yn mynd was y<sup>e</sup> will &  
Testam<sup>t</sup> of G<sup>r</sup>o. Ferguson Dr. i<sup>e</sup>go taking  
don b<sup>r</sup> for me

Wm Ponson

Be 20<sup>th</sup> Day of y<sup>e</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> yr. Cal<sup>d</sup> September  
in y<sup>e</sup> year 1682 Rob<sup>t</sup> Davidge of Ann Arundel

County my Province of Maryland Carpenter -  
finding my self not well in health but of  
perfect mind & memory do from my own  
freedom make & make & ordaine this to be my  
Last Will & Testam<sup>t</sup> in manner & form -  
following

leaving my wife to rear my daughter of whom  
I have had by her h<sup>e</sup>re after named  
a d<sup>r</sup> I give & bequeath unto my wife Providence  
Davidge our reared part of my Plantacion of  
now live on & our reared part of y<sup>e</sup> house w<sup>e</sup>  
during her naturall life

3<sup>d</sup> I give & bequeath unto my sonne Thos<sup>r</sup>  
Davidge my weeler plantacion of now live-

On two hundred pounds b. p. f. for of att 20 years -

old & y<sup>e</sup> olde parcs all y<sup>e</sup> d<sup>r</sup> eas. of his m<sup>l</sup> eys all  
w<sup>e</sup>nes Land I give unto my Sonn Sir Davidge  
to have & to hold for ever

4. y<sup>e</sup> ad for my m<sup>l</sup> oon. & my wife & d<sup>r</sup> s to reg<sup>z</sup>  
after my d<sup>r</sup> s or paid. Sir Howwood & Sir Hamon  
as upo my request do divide & give ad equal ad-

vey Can 17<sup>th</sup> my w<sup>e</sup> Provdence Davidge have  
his first choice & my sonn Sir Davidge y<sup>e</sup> olde  
half

5. y<sup>e</sup> my wife & ord. to y<sup>e</sup> w<sup>e</sup> chancery & hoggs  
fall<sup>d</sup> to my parc on y<sup>e</sup> plantation of w<sup>e</sup> Davidge  
b. sold & y<sup>e</sup> w<sup>e</sup> produce gao<sup>d</sup> to y<sup>e</sup> payment of my  
d<sup>r</sup> s

6. y<sup>e</sup> my wife & ord. to y<sup>e</sup> w<sup>e</sup> d<sup>r</sup> s & all be  
loued due from y<sup>e</sup> estate of y<sup>e</sup> d<sup>r</sup> eas. w<sup>e</sup> Davidge  
my de<sup>r</sup> & h<sup>r</sup> after named shall pay y<sup>e</sup> on half of  
it.

7. y<sup>e</sup> ad for my parc of y<sup>e</sup> plantation w<sup>e</sup> mon y<sup>e</sup>  
d<sup>r</sup> eas. w<sup>e</sup> Davidge L<sup>r</sup> d<sup>r</sup> I have alienated all  
my R<sup>t</sup> P<sup>t</sup> & L<sup>r</sup> n<sup>r</sup> reg<sup>z</sup> from me & my  
h<sup>r</sup> for ever to Sir Howwood of an Aund<sup>le</sup>  
Country to have & to hold to him & his Esse<sup>d</sup>

for our for a value already Recd weue vallenu-  
to his p[ar]t of two hundred & aund of Land lying  
onyt. more th[an] of patapsco. Our it being  
formly agt aforesd th[an] w[ill] David all weue  
parte of Land & no appertaining to h[im] unto  
my wife Province Davidge to hav: & to hold  
for our & do: make ordigne & appoin: my  
Loving wife Province Davidge to b: my & yelb:  
Exec: of yelb my Lass, w[ife] & P[ro]p[erty] In  
wittnesse whereof I have hereunto sett my hand &  
Seal yester day, & affore fiftie abov: written 1682.

Rob: Davidge  
*(Signature)*

Liquid Sealed & Delivrd so b:-  
mey Lass, w[ife] & P[ro]p[erty]

in y[er] p[ar]t of  
A. Regur. th[is].

Charles D[avid]ge  
his mak:

Jas[on] to offord  
his m[ar]k:

Ends on y[er] back th[is] was y[er]o written

By witness of a Com: from agt hon: philip Calv:  
Esq: Chif Judge on Com: y[er]o for probate of  
seale & dated y[er]o 24: of aprill anno 1682

And to my dñe dñe & y<sup>r</sup> day I called before me —  
 Dñgrs hds. — Chaled now & Jnwo offord —  
 witnessd to ag<sup>t</sup> Wm. Wllm. Wllm. wgo dñd by —  
 ag<sup>t</sup> dñc<sup>d</sup> aronage hly. Evng. hys, in canon  
 f dñc<sup>d</sup> p. of dñc<sup>d</sup> to b. ag<sup>t</sup> L. c. & P. f. —  
 of Rob<sup>t</sup> Davidge dñd. all we are. I do. certif.  
 and. my hand m to ag<sup>t</sup> office for probat. of will —  
 dñc<sup>d</sup> witnessd my hand ag<sup>t</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> day of may an<sup>o</sup>

1802:

Richard Hill

In ag<sup>t</sup> name of God Amen I. Eliz. Lapeley —  
 of Calvert County my Province of Maryland —  
 bring, b. & d. in body b. & p. r. f. m. —  
 M. dñc<sup>d</sup> m. m. ag<sup>t</sup> to b. my L. c. &  
 P. f. in manner & forme following lvs. I —  
 give my soul to God, wgo gave me my b. &  
 my body to y<sup>r</sup> care from whence it came —  
 And ad. for my b. & d. good year God halp  
 L. us after my d. b. & d. are paid & my funeral  
 expens discharged. I b. quare ad. hereafter —  
 follow: —

I imp<sup>r</sup>. my care to y<sup>r</sup> exec<sup>t</sup> I hav. — Recived —  
 of Capt. Numan Brall mon<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> Comd to my

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Value of ye Estate of my Lat: husband Robt -  
Safely when it b: returned to Capt: Brail -  
Ex't of my Lat: husband to b: disposed off  
Accordingly to my husband wife in good -  
Accordingly to appearance & upon my Sonne -  
Purman b: said herre left from his Engag'mt  
to Capt: Brail in my behalfe -

Item I giv: to my Daughter Mary Purman -  
my b: & b: & Furniture my Wedding Ring -  
a Table Cloe & Linen napkin side now placed  
at Virgin: Basin & my baggot paper dill  
& five Russet Large Chair -  
Item I giv: to my Daughter Mary Bright  
a Gowne a Rd pincase & a Watch preuaal  
my Servt a fur lined Cope w: fingered -  
Item I giv: to Philip Godfrey an Rd Evening  
gowne work of my Servt to b: Employed  
for yers of my Daughters Children

Item I giv: to my Grand Child Henry Cook  
& his wife Called Bridget & her Calf & an

I von pott

Item I giv: to my Grand Child Reg, sonne and  
a Sparling hffer

I Jim I Giv. to my Daug'ter Mary Truman all ye -  
 R'st of my Grat. Goods. Cales & Chances to be  
 disposed off by her to my Children & Grand Children  
 according to her discretion. Jim I make Constitution  
 Appoint my sd. Daug'ter Mary Truman sole Exec.  
 of vno my last will & Testament h'by Revoking  
 all willed by me formerly mad. and witness my  
 hand & Seale vno 13<sup>th</sup> of November 1682.

her

Chr. J. Laffey  
mch. *pa*

Jaled. & D. Lured m.

John of

John <sup>hus</sup> O.B. Burao

mch.

Georac <sup>hus</sup> E. Trottman

mch.

Georac Truman

And on vno back side was vnu written vnu

Geo: Cawr before me vno 15<sup>th</sup> day May 1682

y: weig'm Subscribd witnessd. In: Burao, Geo:

Trottman & Georac Truman & have taken vnu

vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu

vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu

vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu vnu

Georac Brook

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In ye name of god amon us god twelve day  
of Jan. in ye 24<sup>th</sup> yeare of ye Domynion of  
ye R<sup>e</sup> honble Charles & ga An<sup>r</sup> Day 1602 I  
confesse of ye Western Branches in Mount Calver  
hundred in ye Province of Maryland planter  
being full & leake of Body, bens of soule &  
prethe memory praye to god for ye  
same. And knowing ye certaintie of regio life  
on Earth & being desirous to seeke resyng in  
order do make resyd my last will & testam<sup>t</sup>  
in manner & forme following wher to say  
First & principally I Comitt my Soul into ye  
hands of almighty god my Creator affurde  
þ living I shall receve full pardon & remission  
of all my sinnes & þ said by yf þ person  
dying & mervis of my blodie Saviour &  
Redemer þrough Jesu & my body to ye Earth  
from whence it was taken to be buried in some  
cōtem & Christian maner ad to my dese  
hereafter named heale þough me &  
conuincis & ad touching þis worldly estate  
ad ye Lord in Mary hale live in my ure

And meanning is after my d<sup>r</sup>.bd are paid & funerall  
 Charg'd & expens'd fully satisfieed regd of same  
 shall be employed. & b<sup>r</sup>. stow'd as by lego my —  
 Lass wree & S<sup>r</sup>. Gasson is minnowed & declared knowne  
 frusterating & making void all wills. & S<sup>r</sup>. Gasson to  
 by me formerly mad. — either by word or writing &  
 do. Only declare & appoynt regd my Lass wree  
 & S<sup>r</sup>. Gasson & no: oyer & fier. I ha<sup>v</sup>e & b<sup>r</sup>.quale  
 unto my wif Elizabeth farrer regd Plantacion called  
 by leg: name of Green Chff<sup>r</sup> w<sup>r</sup>e all of Right  
 & powerdg: or illegitimo b<sup>r</sup>.longing during her naturall  
 life w<sup>r</sup>e all of stock of Cauall hogges & orey  
 Craturs regd unto b<sup>r</sup>.longing & after a<sup>d</sup>.reas.  
 of my S<sup>r</sup>. wif<sup>r</sup> Eliz. farrer to b<sup>r</sup>. Gasson to my —  
 wif<sup>r</sup> Grandfarrer Isabell Gasson only y<sup>e</sup> half  
 of y<sup>e</sup> stock of Cauall & hogges I ha<sup>v</sup>e & b<sup>r</sup>.quale  
 unto my wif<sup>r</sup> Graneton Wm. Gasson w<sup>r</sup>e y<sup>e</sup> on  
 half of all y<sup>e</sup> Furniture b<sup>r</sup>.longing w<sup>r</sup>e house  
 ad horring b<sup>r</sup>.ding p<sup>r</sup>.brass Iron & oyer —  
 household stuffe & m<sup>r</sup> eas. huc<sup>r</sup>. of y<sup>e</sup> children  
 called by name Isabell or Eliz. Gasson direc<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> —  
 Long<sup>r</sup>. Lur of lego to enjoy y<sup>e</sup> so<sup>r</sup> Land w<sup>r</sup>e

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all yr self of yr flock & houzel'd stuffe & gearme  
 Belonging to you & your her'd for her and I  
 do: hereby answere & appoint my Loring -  
 friend Robt. Norman & Edward Brock of y.  
 above l. hundred in y<sup>e</sup> Province of Maryland -  
 to be overs:rs of y<sup>e</sup> my Lash tree & P. Grant  
 w<sup>ch</sup> wey w<sup>ch</sup> C. Care & Diligence & D. Due t<sup>e</sup> m<sup>t</sup>  
 w<sup>ch</sup> y<sup>e</sup> my Lash tree & P. Grant to b<sup>e</sup> performed  
 truly & R<sup>ly</sup> in w<sup>ch</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> to y<sup>e</sup> b<sup>r</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> y<sup>e</sup> p. f. fully  
 knowe by my hand & Seal y<sup>e</sup> day of y<sup>e</sup> year  
 lxxviii abo<sup>v</sup> written publisht & declare<sup>d</sup> signed  
 Sealed & D. b. w<sup>ch</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> y<sup>e</sup> appdme of

the mark<sup>e</sup> of  
John H. Smith (S. A.)

Publisht Sealed &

D. b. w<sup>ch</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> in p<sup>r</sup>ice of

Henry Fowler

Edward Brock

Robt. R. Norman

And on y<sup>e</sup> back side was y<sup>e</sup> written arr.  
 Edward Brock & Robt. Norman was sworne be-  
 fore me Francisco Collier was y<sup>e</sup> man who y<sup>e</sup> had  
 Lash tree & P. Grant of John Smith

May 29<sup>th</sup> 1682

In re<sup>s</sup> Name of God Amen. I being now att-  
 re<sup>s</sup> p<sup>r</sup> in my R<sup>t</sup> & S<sup>r</sup> do declare w<sup>t</sup>  
 to be my Last Will & Testament. Imp<sup>d</sup> I cere  
 & b<sup>r</sup>quarre, my pr<sup>r</sup>ious & Immortall Soul is  
 God almighty vgan hav<sup>t</sup> & my Body vge  
 Grav<sup>r</sup> Hm. & Gu<sup>r</sup> am<sup>t</sup> my Test<sup>r</sup> Sonn Hu<sup>r</sup>  
 re<sup>s</sup> plantacion & all y<sup>e</sup> Land appertaining to  
 y<sup>e</sup> same wey<sup>r</sup> I now Lw<sup>r</sup> Schmat<sup>r</sup> vlyng  
 Near re<sup>s</sup> head of R<sup>t</sup> R<sup>r</sup> we<sup>r</sup> in the place  
 Accomplis<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> full age of w<sup>r</sup>ly ap<sup>r</sup>ed<sup>r</sup>  
 Quilly & pr<sup>r</sup>ably to enjoy y<sup>e</sup> same to him  
 & his heires for her y<sup>e</sup> Land not to b<sup>r</sup> morgaged  
 or. Sold but in cas<sup>r</sup> of Mortality y<sup>e</sup> Land to  
 fall to y<sup>e</sup> next heire.  
 Hm D<sup>r</sup>ree & b<sup>r</sup>quare unto my Sonn H<sup>r</sup>ry  
 our son of Land contyning 200 arod or  
 v<sup>r</sup> aboute Lyng near re<sup>s</sup> head of Somerw<sup>r</sup>  
 adjoyning to re<sup>s</sup> Land of In<sup>r</sup> Palleston to him  
 & his heires for her Quilly to enjoy y<sup>e</sup> same  
 v<sup>r</sup> in hi<sup>r</sup> place accomplish y<sup>e</sup> full age of  
 w<sup>r</sup>ly ap<sup>r</sup>ed<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Land not to b<sup>r</sup> Sold or

Moryad god bane in eas. & mortally in land  
to fall to y<sup>e</sup> under h<sup>e</sup> if h<sup>e</sup> dyd his par-  
of my personale estate to b<sup>e</sup> Equally dwid  
b<sup>e</sup> twix my two Daughters

I am I giv<sup>e</sup> unto Each of my Sons a v<sup>e</sup> of Ju.  
Henry wey ioy<sup>e</sup> Cows shall accomplayng  
yeare above. S<sup>d</sup> 3 Cow<sup>s</sup> w<sup>e</sup> Calv<sup>e</sup> or Calv<sup>s</sup>  
all iey<sup>e</sup> in h<sup>e</sup> 3 shire free to ad<sup>e</sup> seale upon  
b<sup>e</sup> found in y<sup>e</sup> flock & to my Son In<sup>e</sup> our  
hors<sup>s</sup> w<sup>e</sup> a baird foal & from Gray called  
by y<sup>e</sup> name of Derby & to my Son Henry  
one bay hors<sup>s</sup> called by y<sup>e</sup> name of Buck  
b<sup>e</sup> farr<sup>e</sup> ear Cawes I hav<sup>e</sup> alredy given y<sup>e</sup> m<sup>e</sup>  
Lixens<sup>s</sup> I giv<sup>e</sup> Each of y<sup>e</sup> m<sup>e</sup> y<sup>e</sup> free breeding  
hors<sup>s</sup>.

y<sup>e</sup> remaide of my personale estate I giv<sup>e</sup> unto  
Jan<sup>e</sup> my wife & my Daughter Mary & Daug<sup>e</sup>  
Katherine so long as my wife Jan<sup>e</sup> seale  
remaine alittow<sup>e</sup> bane in eas<sup>s</sup> & do<sup>e</sup> marry  
y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>e</sup> to hav<sup>e</sup> & r<sup>e</sup> only on<sup>e</sup> free pa-  
of y<sup>e</sup> Personale Estate & y<sup>e</sup> remaide to be

Equally divided b/w my two Daughters aforesd —  
 I Do appoin my Will b/loud wife Jan to be  
 w/o/ly & Sol. Exec for my Spouse & Children  
 aforesd ad certes to my hand & Seal the 20<sup>th</sup> of  
 day of aprill in the yere of our Lord one  
 thousand six hundred fiftynine two

Signum

Signed sealed & delivered  
 in the presence of us

John Robt. K. Gle

Andrew Robt. S.A.

<sup>Sign.</sup>  
 Agnes Larkmo spouse to me

Mary Farmer

Wolfram Hunt

And on the back side was written as  
 May the 22<sup>nd</sup> Febr. came before me Agnes  
 Larkmo Mary Farmer, & Wolfram Hunt of  
 the County of Ann Arbor & made oath upon the  
 body of King Edward before Andrew Robt. Law of  
 Ann Arbor County Esq. did in his said office  
 sign & seal publickly & declare the same  
 written to be true last weeke & P. gant ad  
 witness my hand & seal. Thomas Franck  
 S.A.

1602

In re- Name of God Amen vj<sup>e</sup>o first day  
of Jan<sup>r</sup>, 1602 I Jn<sup>r</sup>. Taylor of y<sup>e</sup> County  
of Ann arund. in Sone Rive<sup>r</sup> my Province  
of Maryland being sick & cleare in body bne  
of sound corporall memory blessed be god for ye  
samer & knowing of uncertainty of my life  
in Earth & bring vnto me to sett myng in  
Ord<sup>r</sup>. do make vj<sup>e</sup>o my last will & testam<sup>t</sup>  
in maner & forme as followeth wherein to set  
forth & prouince I committ my soule to  
a mercifull god my creater absoudly off all  
my sinnes & hope to be saved by my p[re]ious  
Dale & merito of my bls<sup>d</sup> savi. & R[esu]r  
chris<sup>t</sup> jnde and my body to y<sup>e</sup> Earth from  
whence it was taken to be buried in due  
manner as my vertuous name shal be thought  
mett me as touching vse of my worldly goods  
as my Lord of Morye hal<sup>r</sup> late his my wife  
g[od]man<sup>r</sup> to agtane f[re]e b[ut] employee &  
bestowed as hereafter by vj<sup>e</sup>o my wife &  
testam<sup>t</sup> to be proford and frst f[re]d R[esu]r  
& R[esu]r<sup>r</sup> frustrat & make voye all

Cred by me formerly mad. - Certare and witness  
to bataken ad my Lass wife P. Stant ad following

I am I do make Constitut & ordaine my Loving  
Befher in saue a Paylor my full & legole Exec. -  
to do ad please her bring of Long. in Lvn.

I am I do give & bgrave my plantation or Land.  
and my Lufman Romeo Harro & his heires  
Loving in swaleg in Sutton Parridge my County  
of Lvn in England after y. decease of my wifes  
& if he do not come to claim her to let  
it to we owe her plaidre, but no ground to be  
chargeed nor Timber felled upon it

Attest  
John Brue yf Lass wife & <sup>W. m. of</sup>  
P. Stant of In. Taylor setting  
his hand & Seale affrumento

Jn. M Taylor

P. Stant of In. Taylor setting  
his hand & Seale affrumento

& ours ad witness

Attest  
John W. Baskman

Charles Legge

Attest  
Bafle Sparckman

And on y. dae I. day was written anno

John Day came before me Charles Legge  
& Bafle Sparckman weare very sau-

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vs: wchm named Jn: Taylor Law of Amarran  
 County Divid. d: b: wchm wchm Minnowd -  
 cerel ad his Ls: at D: & also his  
 day Susanna Taylor came & took her oaths  
 before me according to a Commission to me  
 Concerning an Oath. Wm Burgeo

I Jn: March: of ye County of Talbot -  
 in ye Province of Maryland Plaintiff being  
 fild in Body & Clerking to felle wchm  
 outwate spes I have do: made this my  
 Oath & Testam: ad following J: Do: Gv: is  
 grants unto my Sonn Jn: March: vs: Land  
 of min in Pucklesoe Called by y: Name  
 of Shrub Hill wchm he felle attaine to y  
 age of eighteen agreed to him & his heire  
 for ever, J: Do: Gv: & B: quale unto me  
 Daughter son Jn: March: my Land Called  
 Butlersfield, J: Do: Gv: & B: quale unto me  
 Sonn James March: my Land Called March:  
 his fhaunces unto him & his heire for  
 ever wchm he felle attaine to ye age of  
 eighteen agreed & for wchm persones spes

I now vid my will & desire that it may be equally  
 divided b/w me my wife Mary March & my Sonne  
 James March & my Daughter Sarah March.  
 It is my will also Jno Baynard & John Lirum  
 to be my Executors to see unto my will performed  
 to y<sup>e</sup> best of their understanding to y<sup>e</sup> full  
 I am & remaining w<sup>th</sup> w<sup>th</sup> ad<sup>d</sup> witness my hand &  
 Seale y<sup>e</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> day of January 1682

Published & signed in y<sup>e</sup> presence of us John March  
 Jno Baynard

John Baynard  
 John Lirum  
 John Gaultain

John Gaultain

And on y<sup>e</sup> back side was also written and  
 Aprill 1<sup>st</sup> 1682

John Lirum being Sworne faire & true he saith  
 Jno March of Talbot County did signe,  
 Seal & witness y<sup>e</sup> will written above &  
 acknowledged y<sup>e</sup> same to be his act & doo &  
 y<sup>e</sup> man is man of sound minde & memory

Jno Baynard being Exam'd declared y<sup>e</sup> same but  
 could not take an oare for his Conscience sake

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Aprill y<sup>e</sup> 13<sup>th</sup>

John St. Paul bring Sworn Saile, he saw In<sup>e</sup> Mark  
hat d<sup>r</sup>asid signe h<sup>e</sup>ader i<sup>e</sup> d<sup>r</sup>iv<sup>e</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Virgin wall  
cere<sup>ye</sup> acknowledge it to be his act & d<sup>r</sup>id

Couenant G. v. Robt. Comyn

By Virtu<sup>e</sup> of an Ord. w<sup>m</sup> granted from y<sup>e</sup> hon<sup>e</sup> C<sup>o</sup>uncil  
Chancery Dated f<sup>r</sup> o<sup>r</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> E<sup>c</sup> 68<sup>1/2</sup>

*A*  
Alexander Thomas Will - 50 *Adm*

*B*

*Adm*

*C*

*Adm*  
Johnson George Will - 24  
Probate - 33

*D*

*Adm*  
Davidge Robert Will - 34

*Adm*

*E*

*Adm*  
Lambertson Henry Will - 13  
Lane Samuel Will - 14  
Lewellyn Elizabeth Will - 37

*F*

*Mrs*  
Markes John Will - 48

-N-

Nack John Will - 35

Sherley John Will - - 1

Smith William Will - - 1

-O-

T.

Taylor John Will - - - 1

P.

P.

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R.

Roberts Andrew Will - 43

W.

Roberts Andrew Will - 43 Wynne Francis Will - - -

Alphabetized & John Gibson Sept 17  
14th May 1774 <sup>Entered</sup>

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